

III. Amended Title

Please amend the title on page one of this application from:

METHOD FOR TREATING INFLAMMATION-MEDIATED CONDITIONS OF THE EYE

to:

IMPLANTS AND METHODS FOR TREATING INFLAMMATION-MEDIATED CONDITIONS OF THE EYE

so as to provide a title more descriptive of the claimed subject matter.


IV. New Claims 35-77

New claims 35-77 in general claim implants for treating an inflammation-mediated condition of an eye of an individual. Thus, the new claims are supported by the specification.

V. Conclusion

Examination and allowance of claims 35-77 is requested.

Respectfully submitted,


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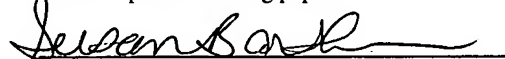
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